

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE (Case No. 02-415-A1)

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In the Application of:  Maillard et al.		)		
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Serial	l No.:	10/517,981	)	
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Int. Filing Date: June 11, 2003		)		
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	Methods of	Treating Alzheimer's	)	
	Disease Using Aromatically Substituted		)	
$\omega$ -Amino-Alkanoic Acid Amides and		)		
	Alkanoic Ac	id Diamides	)	

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## **SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

The Examiner is respectfully requested to enter the following amendments: